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DPNR ANNOUNCES MODIFIED HOURS OF SERVICE

Commissioner Jean-Pierre L. Oriol of the Department of Planning and Natural Resources announces that in accordance with the State of Emergency declared by the Honorable Albert Bryan Jr. as a result of the COVID-19 Pandemic, the department will be implementing the following modified schedule until April 6, 2020, or as may be extended by the Governor:

- ALL Public Libraries in the Territory will be closed to the public.
- Both Fort Frederik in St. Croix and Fort Christian in St. Thomas will be closed to the public.
- Pick up, drop off and cashier services will be available to the public only on Tuesdays and Fridays during regular office hours 8 am-5 pm.
 Please be reminded that Cashier closes at 3 pm. Kindly adhere to the safety precautions established by the department with regards to submitting documents.
- For in-person needs other than pick-up or drop-off services, or for general information, please call (340) 774-3320 on St. Thomas and on St. Croix call (340) 773-1082 to schedule an appointment with the appropriate division.
- Please visit our website at dpnr.vi.gov for forms and other information relative to each division.

For more information on COVID-19, please visit the USVI Department of Health's website, doh.vi.gov/coronavirus or text COVID19USVI to 888777."